Another MUFON State Director retired from the Air Force after 22 years as a Lt. Colonel. We were discussing the stories of UFO encounter witnesses that were most credible for us. He said, It's when someone you know and have known comes to you with a story that is believable becuase it's anomalous and the credibility of the person has already been established by 100% of the other things they have told you over the course of a long relationship.

For example, he said, I knew a non-commissioned officer who came to me one day scared shitless. He wanted to talk because he was afraid and didn't know where else to go. He had been to Groom Lake on assignment and encountered a 7-foot-tall alien there, working with the government.

Addendum: I was interviewing a witness recalling an incident of many years ago north of Manitowac Wisconsin when he was a teenager (1960s or 70s - I'd have to look it up.) He and a teen friend were being driven by his father past the Cleveland swamp when they saw a luminous UFO land in the swamp. They went on to their destination (the next town) and when returning by the same road an hour or so later, saw a "7-foot-tall alien by the side of the road right near where we saw the UFO go into the swamp." We wanted to stop, he said, but my dad was too scared and stepped on it instead.

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